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**HARDENED COMMUNICATIONS
AND BUNKERED FACILITIES IN
EASTERN EUROPE**

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INSTALLATION OR ACTIVITY NAME

Hardened Communications and Bunkered Facilities in Eastern Europe

COUNTRY

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UTM COORDINATES

NA

GEOGRAPHIC COORDINATES

See below

CATEGORY

See below

BE NUMBER

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COMIREX NO.

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NIETB NO.

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MAP REFERENCE

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LATEST IMAGERY USED

NEGATION DATE (if required)

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Name

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Coordinates

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Polyanovgrad Unid Command and Control Facility/Bunkered	BU	42-37-50N 026-56-00E	0322-10
Doupov Unid Command and Control Facility/Bunkered/Hardened	CZ	50-10-30N 013-13-40E	0231-14
Melbork Unid Command and Control Facility/Bunkered	PL	54-04-40N 019-04-10E	0169-14
Goleniow Unid Command and Control Radio Facility/Bunkered/Hardened	PL	53-33-50N 014-51-30E	0169-17
Debrzno Unid Command and Control Radio Facility/Bunkered/Hardened	PL	53-33-40N 017-19-00E	0169-18
Torun Unid Command and Control Radio Facility/Bunkered/Hardened	PL	53-06-00N 018-48-40E	0169-19
Torun Unid Command and Control Radio Facility/Bunkered/Hardened Southeast	PL	52-57-38N 018-51-17E	0169-10
Swietoszow Unid Command and Control Radio Facility/Bunkered/Hardened	PL	51-28-41N 015-48-47E	0231-5

ABSTRACT

1. This is the second report on hardened communications and bunkered facilities in Eastern Europe. [redacted]

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2. Twenty-seven new command and control facilities have been identified in [redacted] Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, and Poland. Two facilities in Poland [redacted] do not have communications antennas at present, but antennas may be constructed there in the future.

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3. Included are location maps, perspective drawings, and annotated photographs. The photographic interpretation data is based on all photography of suitable interpretability [redacted]

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INTRODUCTION

4. Thirty-seven command and control facilities have been identified in Eastern Europe to date. [redacted] five in Bulgaria, one in Czechoslovakia, six in Poland, and one in Hungary. This report describes 27 of these; the other ten were discussed in a previous NPIC report.¹

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5. None of the facilities have multichannel communications antennas or mobile communications associated with them. The presence of control bunkers and hardened antennas suggests that these facilities are part of a highly survivable, high-level command and control communications system or systems.

6. Based on available photography, it is not possible to determine force level or subordination for 21 of the facilities described in this report. [redacted]

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[redacted] Two Polish facilities--Torun and Torun Southeast--are subordinate to the staff at Bydgoszcz Headquarters Pomeranian Military District 3 [redacted]

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7. Correspondents for the facilities described cannot be identified because there is no way to determine from photography whether the hardened antennas have a transmit, a receive, or a transceive capability. Other reasons the correspondents have not been identified are that the deployment of hardened antennas in Eastern Europe is probably in the initial stage of construction and that there is a lack of current photography.

8. Two bunkered facilities in Poland [redacted] now under construction do not contain hardened antennas. These facilities are included in this report because of the possibility that hardened antennas or aboveground antennas may appear at a later stage of construction.

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BASIC DESCRIPTION

10. Descriptions of each facility are included on the illustrations which follow.

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Bulgaria

15. Only one new hardened command and control facility has been identified in Bulgaria since September 1972 and it brings the total in that country to five. No common site layout or bunker construction technique have been identified at any of these five facilities.

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Czechoslovakia

16. Only one hardened command and control facility has been identified in Czechoslovakia to date. Therefore, no pattern can be derived as to site layout or bunker construction.

Poland

17. Six new command and control facilities have been identified since the first command and control report was published.¹ Three of these six facilities (Malbork, Goleniow, Debrzno) are similar in construction. In each case, a long, rectangular, partially underground, earth-covered bunker with six air vents is in the center of a rectangular secured area.

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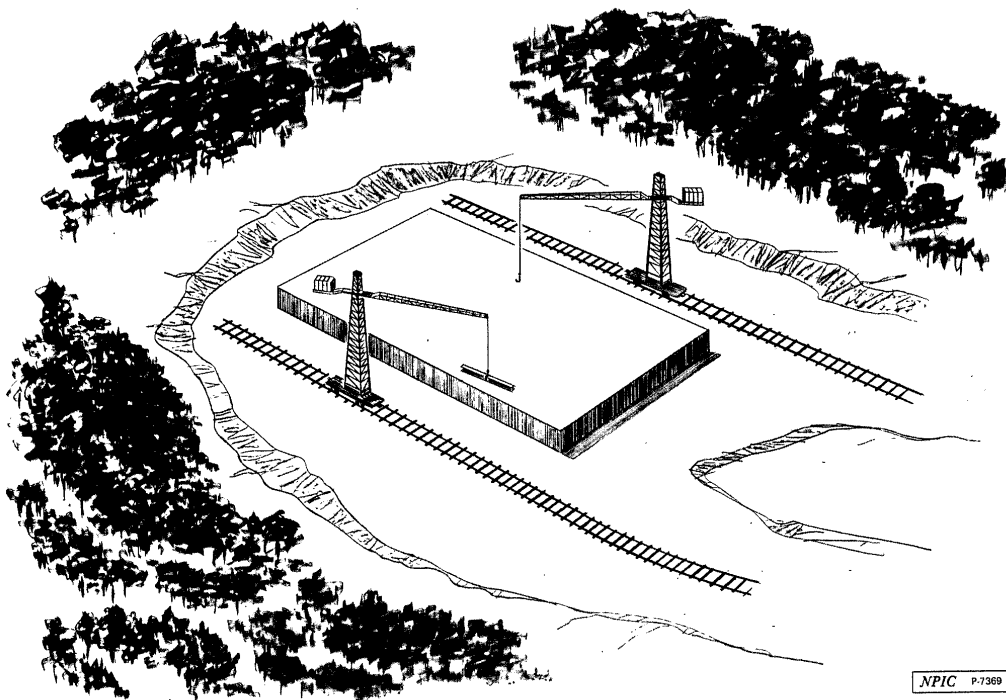


FIGURE 4. PERSPECTIVE DRAWING OF RECTANGULAR SOVIET-TYPE BUNKER

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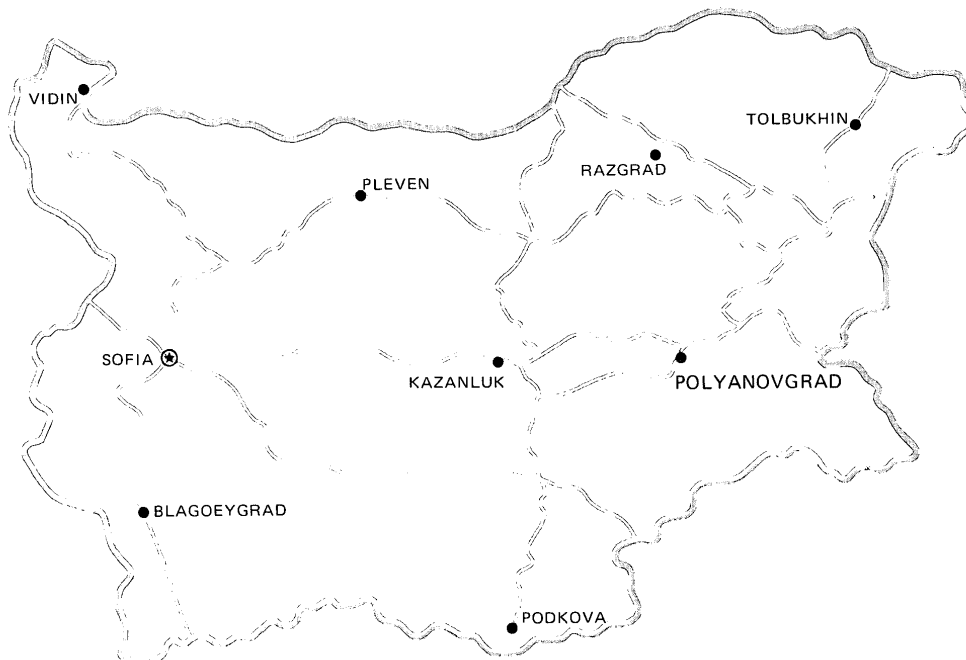
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BULGARIA



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FIGURE 24. LOCATION OF UNIDENTIFIED COMMAND AND CONTROL FACILITIES, BULGARIA

Installation	Remarks
Polyanovgrad Unid CC Fac/Bnk/Hd	Hardened antennas present; unknown bunker type

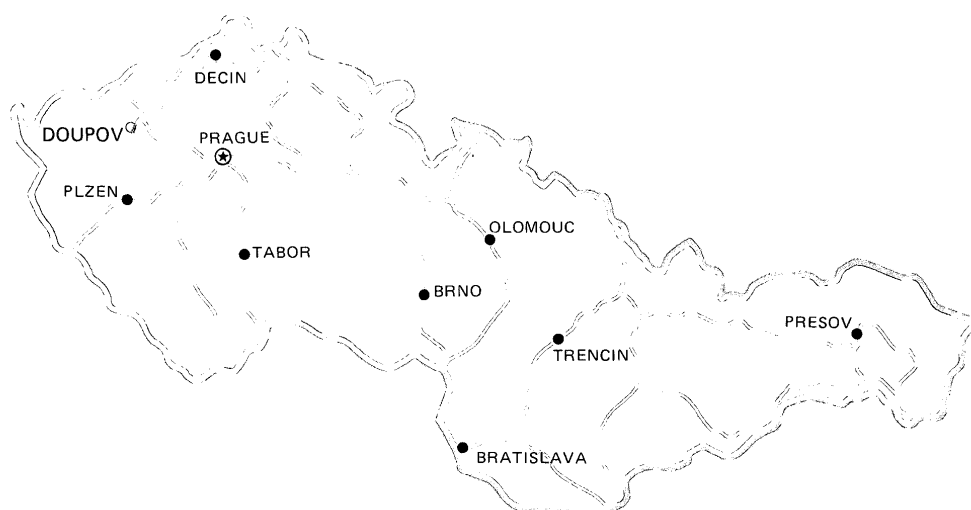
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CZECHOSLOVAKIA



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FIGURE 26. LOCATION OF UNIDENTIFIED COMMAND AND CONTROL FACILITIES, CZECHOSLOVAKIA

Installation	Remarks
Doupov Unid CC Fac/Bnk/Hd	Hardened antennas present; unknown bunker type

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POLAND

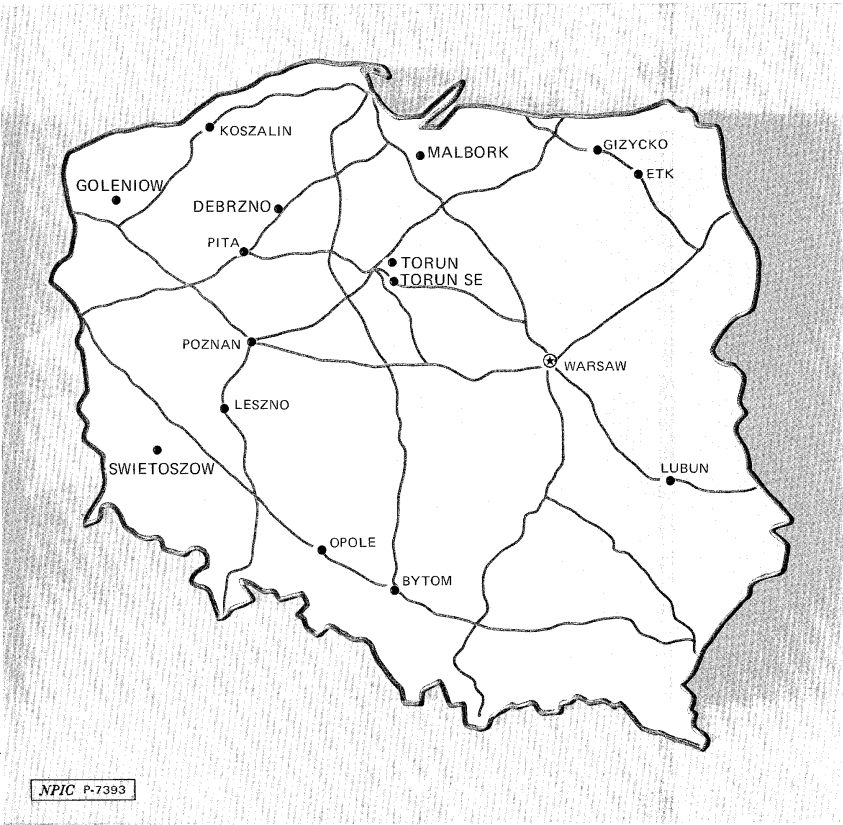


FIGURE 28. LOCATIONS OF UNIDENTIFIED COMMAND AND CONTROL FACILITIES, POLAND

Installation	Remarks
Malbork Unid CC Fac/Bnk	Poss hardened antenna; unknown bunker type
Goleniow Unid CC Rad Fac/Bnk/Hd	Bunker & facility layout similar to Malbork & Debrzno; no hardened antenna
Debrzno Unid CC Rad Fac/Bnk/Hd	Prob hardened antenna
Torun Unid CC Rad Fac/Bnk/Hd	Hardened antenna (poss transmitter); unknown bunker type
Torun Unid CC Rad Fac/Bnk/Hd SE	Hardened antenna (poss receiver); unknown bunker type
Swietoszow Unid CC Rad Fac/Bnk/Hd	Hardened antenna; unknown bunker type

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